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Via Electronic Filing

Matthew Homsher, Secretary
PA Public Utility Commission
400 North Street
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**Re: Hickory Telephone Company
PSI/SPI Filing for Year 2026
Docket Nos. P-00981431F1000; R-2026-_____ (Advance Notice)**

Dear Secretary Homsher:

Pursuant to the Amended Streamlined Form of Regulation and Network Modernization Plan of Hickory Telephone Company (“Company”), the Company provides the Commission with advance notice of its intent to file its Price Stability Index/Service Price Index (“PSI/SPI”) Report for Year 2026 on May 1, 2026. The Company does not expect to propose any rate increases as part of its PSI/SPI filing. Instead, the Company intends to bank the authorized rate increases in accordance with its approved Plan.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,



Bryce R. Beard

cc: Cert. of Service
Spencer Nahf, Supervisor (TUS)
Gary Zingaretti
Brian Jeffers
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that this day I served a copy of the foregoing **Letter Re: Advance Notice of Intent to File PSI and SPI** upon the persons listed below in the manner indicated in accordance with the requirements of 52 Pa. Code Section 1.54.

Via Email Only

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